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# AlumNews

A Publication of the Wright State University Alumni Association

G R A D U A T I O N I S S U E

**Congratulations, graduates and new alumni!** We would like to commend you on your achievements at Wright State and invite you to remain active members of the university community. Membership in the Wright State University Alumni Association provides a vital connection between you and your university and a link—both personally and professionally—to other alumni in your area and beyond. Active and involved alumni such as yourself are crucial to the university's continued success, both in serving its students and in realizing its mission as a catalyst for educational excellence in the Miami Valley.

As members, you will receive *AlumNews*, the bimonthly newsletter of the WSU Alumni Association, which will keep you up-to-date on Alumni Association events, membership benefits, university outreach efforts, and news about the university and its alumni. You can also find out the latest news about fellow alumni and former classmates by checking out the AlumNotes section of *Community* magazine, a biannual publication that is sent to all Wright State alumni.

This special graduation issue of *AlumNews* outlines many of the benefits that membership in the Wright State University Alumni Association provides. Please look it over and take this opportunity to get involved! For more information, contact your Alumni Relations office: call (937) 775-2620 or 1-800-535-0688; fax (937) 775-2736; visit our home page at [www.wright.edu/alumni](http://www.wright.edu/alumni); or write to Wright State University, Office of Alumni Relations, 3640 Colonel Glenn Hwy, Dayton, OH 45435.



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## Career assistance and networking

- Professional Exchange Network (PEN), a career counseling and resume referral service
- Skillsearch, a national database employment assistance program
- Career networking opportunities; student mentor/job shadowing program

## University facilities and events

- Eligibility to purchase a photo I.D. for use of recreational facilities in the Student Union and Nutter Center and for discount memberships in the Student Union's fitness center
- Discounts at the University Bookstore
- Discounts for the popular Artist Series programs
- University Libraries borrowing privileges
- Discount for first-time basketball season ticket holders
- Buy one/get one free tickets for home basketball games

## Privileges

- Priority mailings for Alumni Association travel programs
- Opportunity to join the Wright-Patt Credit Union
- Discounts for Ludlow Cellular phone service
- National City Mortgage discounts
- Discounts at Children's World Learning Center





## A Look at Member Benefits

*Look for this section in all future AlumNews editions. Each issue will highlight some benefits available to WSU Alumni Association members.*

### Ludlow Cellular & Paging

Ludlow Cellular & Paging has put together a great program for Wright State Alumni Association members. Members pay only \$10.25 per month with 19 cents per minute during peak hours and 10 cents per minute during nonpeak hours. In addition, members receive a free Motorola phone, free activation, free detailed billing, and free calling features. This program requires a three-year contract and proof of membership in the WSU Alumni Association. For further information, call the Office of Alumni Relations at (937) 775-2620 or your nearest Ludlow Cellular office.

### Day Care Center Program

Your Wright State University Alumni Association and the Children's World Learning Center have teamed up to provide a 10 percent discount

on all published tuition rates to members who enroll their children at Children's World Learning Centers in Ohio. This discount applies to all enrollment options including full time, part time, hourly care, drop-in service, and variable scheduling. Note that this offer does not include infants under 18 months of age. Contact the Alumni Office at (937) 775-2620 or your nearest Children's World Learning Center for more information.

### Fitness Facilities

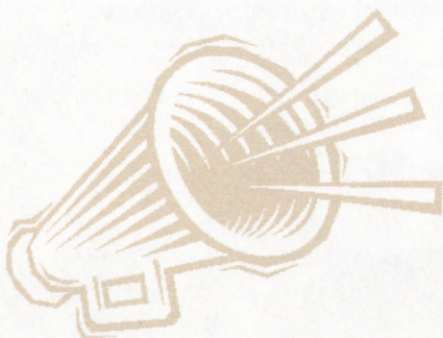
Want a nice place to workout without joining one of those crowded, expensive health spas? Members of the Alumni Association are entitled to use the fitness facilities in the Nutter Center and the swimming pool and racquetball/squash courts in the Student Union at no cost. The Nutter Center houses an indoor running/walking track that overlooks the McLin Gym and a fully equipped weight room. Your Alumni Association membership card is all you need to take advantage of this great benefit.

Your membership in the Alumni Association makes you eligible to join

the Student Union's newly revamped and expanded Fitness Center at the discounted rate of \$90 a year plus the purchase of a picture ID at a cost of \$5. The center features the latest in state-of-the-art exercise and resistance training equipment.

### University Libraries

Alumni Association members are entitled to borrowing privileges for the University Libraries. At the forefront of the electronic library, the Libraries served as a founding member of OhioLINK, an advanced computer network providing access to over 21 million items in the collections of approximately 70 college and university libraries in Ohio as well as the State Library of Ohio. In addition, OhioLINK provides a rich array of electronic resources and databases as well as access to 17 academic journals in full-text. Alumni can access the libraries' resources from any computer workstation in the Libraries. From home, the Libraries home page <[www.libraries.wright.edu](http://www.libraries.wright.edu)> allows patrons to peruse the Libraries catalogs and OhioLINK.



## A Fun Way to Make a Difference

If you want to be included in a dynamic group of fellow WSU graduates who have a part in planning the future of WSU, why not volunteer to serve on a committee or run for a position on the Board of Directors? Sure—it's a little time and work, but while we work hard, we also play just as hard. For example, hard-working volunteers are occasionally treated to a special night out at the Nutter Center for a concert or event.

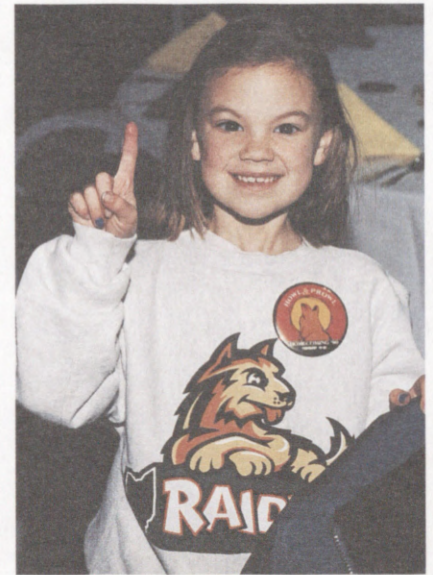
Give us a chance—get involved and make your mark on Wright State.



# A Look at Homecoming '99

With each year, homecoming keeps getting bigger and better, and this year was no exception. The Office of Alumni Relations played a big part in helping make the week a success by sponsoring several events. These included the ever popular mystery dinner (in which everyone was stumped by the actors!) to college and alumni buffets before the basketball game on Saturday night. The game was enjoyed by many Association members who enjoyed refreshments and team spirit in the Alumni Association's revamped corporate box.

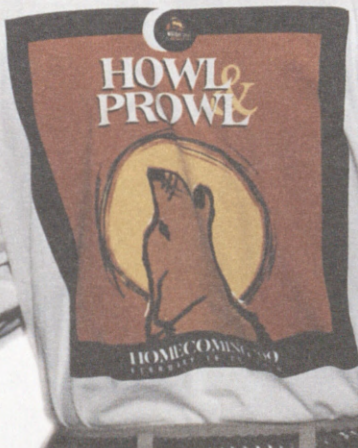
"We've heard a lot of good comments about how this year's homecoming generated a lot of school pride," says Susan Smith, director, Office of Alumni Relations. "Special thanks go out to all who helped make it a success. Plans are already underway for next year, and we need our alumni's continued participation and suggestions to ensure that it is even bigger and better. Alumni spirit is what homecoming is all about."



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1. Raider spirit ran high at the homecoming game, where the men defeated UW-Milwaukee, 71-69.
2. Just one of the many ways Raider fans showed their pride during homecoming week.
3. Age was no limit for those enjoying the fun.
4. Brian Syska and Kristen Huener were named king and queen during halftime festivities.
5. These members of Zeta Tau Alpha were part of the pregame festivities held in the Nutter Center parking lot, which included a pep rally and tailgate party.

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### Other Frequently Used Numbers

#### COLLEGES

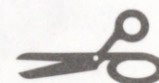
Business and Administration	775-2437
Education and Human Services	775-2821
Engineering and Computer Science	775-5001
Liberal Arts	775-2225
Science and Mathematics	775-2611
Nursing and Health	775-3131

### SCHOOLS

Graduate Studies	775-2976
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School of Medicine	775-3010

### OTHER

Admissions	775-5700	Career Services	775-2556	Nutter Center
Art Galleries	775-2978	Fitness Center	775-5505	Box Office
Artist Series	775-5544	Information	775-5588	Transcripts
Athletics	775-2771	Center	775-5588	Theatre Box
Bookstore	775-5600	775-5740	775-2500	Office
		University	775-4125	University
		Libraries		Events
				775-5512



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New graduate membership rate: ☐ \$15 single ☐ \$30 joint

Name	Social Security no.	Year of graduation/degree
Street Address		
City	State	Zip
E-mail address		

(If you elect joint membership, please provide information on spouse.)

Name	Social Security no.	Year of graduation/degree
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#### Charge Account Information

☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard

Card number

Expiration date

Membership dues are fees for programs and services and are not considered a tax-deductible charitable contribution.

Please return this form and your payment in the accompanying, postage-paid envelope.

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